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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING

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In re Application of: Edwin Dair, et al.

Application No.: Unassigned

For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR FIBER-OPTIC MODULES WITH SHIELDED HOUSINGS/COVERS WITH FINGERS (As Amended)

WHICH IS A DIVISIONAL OF: Edwin Dair, et al.

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner's approval to the changes shown in red/pink highlighter on the attached drawing(s) of FIG(s). 4A, 11B and 12B. An extra set of changed drawings is enclosed for the Draftperson's review. If there is any question, Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached by telephone at (714) 557-3800.

Respectfully submitted

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